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1. Three merchant ships which the Poles refer to as type KOLNO are nearing completion at the shipbuilding yard in Szczecin (Stettin). It is estimated that they will be ready for trials in about two months time. When completed they are to be sent to Russia. The hammer and sickle has already been painted on their funnels. It is estimated that they will have a top speed of 16 knots and a cruising speed of 14 knots.
2. The S.S. KOLNO which is in service with the Polish Merchant Marine is a freighter strengthened for ice with a gross tonnage of 2,372 tons and a net tonnage of 1,437 tons.

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